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SUBJECT: CIVIL AVIATION - U.S. AIRLINE PRELIMINARY  
SCHEDULE FILINGS

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NOVEMBER 27, 1972 MEMORANDUM OF CONSULTATION, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO FILE PRELIMINARY WINTER SCHEDULES OF PAA AND TWA BY JULY 31ST. PAA AND TWA REPS IN SPAIN WILL PROVIDE EMBASSY WITH COPIES OF THE SCHEDULES. FILING CAN BE MADE UNDER COVER BRIEF NOTE STATING THAT, "IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3 OF THE NOVEMBER 27, 1972 MEMORANDUM OF CONSULTATION AND THE AIR TRANSPORT AGREEMENT SIGNED FEBRUARY 20, 1973, THE EMBASSY IS TRANSMITTING THE PRELIMINARY SCHEDULES OF PAA AND TWA FOR THE UPCOMING WINTER SEASON."

FYI. PAA'S WINTER SCHEDULES, EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 28, INCLUDE FOUR NEW 747 SERVICES PER WEEK ON NEW YORK-LISBON-BARCELONA ROUTE. TO BALANCE INTRODUCTION OF 747 SERVICES, PAA IS  
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REDUCING LAST WINTER'S SIX 707 SERVICES PER WEEK ON NEW

YORK-LISBON-BARCELONA ROUTE TO ONE 707 SERVICE THIS WINTER. THIS ONE WILL OPERATE BEYOND BARCELONA TO NICE AND ROME VICE THE TWO 707 SERVICES WHICH DID THIS LAST YEAR. THE ONE-WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN BOSTON AND BARCELONA AND THE TWICE-WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN MIAMI AND MADRID WILL REMAIN AT SAME LEVELS AS LAST WINTER. IN RESUME, PAA'S WEEKLY FREQUENCY TO SPAIN WILL DECREASE BY ONE, BUT ITS CAPACITY WILL INCREASE BY 60 PERCENT. TWA PLANS TO OPERATE SAME LEVEL OF FREQUENCIES AS LAST WINTER, BUT ITS CAPACITY WILL INCREASE BY 14 PERCENT DUE SOLELY TO A CONFIGURATION CHANGE (FROM 318 TO 364 SEATS) ON TWA'S DAILY, NONSTOP 747 SERVICE. OVERALL CAPACITY INCREASE OF BOTH U.S. CARRIERS WILL BE 23 PERCENT ALTHOUGH SIGNIFICANTLY TOTAL FREQUENCIES WILL BE ONE LESS THAN DURING WINTER 1972/73(I.E. TWELVE 707 FREQUENCIES (SEVENTEEN LAST WINTER) AND ELEVEN 747 FREQUENCIES (SEVEN LAST WINTER)). END FYI. ROGERS

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